**Bills sent for President's Assent**

813. SHRI ANIL SHARMA : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the number of bills sent by Government of Himachal Pradesh and Haryana for President's Assent since March, 2001;

(b) the dates on which these bills were passed and when they were sent to the Central Government; and

(c) the bills on which President has accorded his assent and the bills still pending with the reasons of their pendency?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI) : (a) to (c) Details of the Bills referred to the Central Government since March 2001 are annexed in the enclosed statement.

*Details of the bills refered to the Central Government*

*(Position as on 22-11-2002)*

| Sl. No. | Name of the State | Subject | Date when Passed | Date of Receipt | Present Status of the Bills |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Haryana | The Societies Registration (Haryana Amendment) Bills, 2001. | 15-3-2001 | 23-4-2001 | Assented to on 01-06-2001. |
| 2. | Haryana | The Haryana Lok Ayukta Bill, 2002. | 04-09-2002 | 07-10-2002 | The comments of the Central Ministries/ Departments have been invited on the Bill. |
| 3. | Himachal Pradesh | The Himachal Pradesh Maintenance of Parents and Dependents Bill, 2001. | Not available | 10-07-2001 | Assented to on 08-09-2001. |
| 4. | Himachal Pradesh | The Indian Forest (Himachal Pradesh Amendment) Bill, 2002. | 29-08-2002 | 14-11-2002 | The comments of the Central Ministries/ Departments have been invited on the Bill. |